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In re Application of: Georg Curtius et al

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Group Art Unit: 1792

Examiner: Samuel A. Waldbaum

Title: DISHWASHER WITH A SYSTEM FOR

RECOGNITION OF FILLING LEVEL

Mail Stop AF

Commissioner for Patents

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AMENDMENT B

Dear Sir:

This Amendment responds to the Final Office Action dated January 22, 2009, having a response due date of April 22, 2009 and is accompanied by a request for a one-month extension of time. Please charge Deposit Account No. 502786 for any deficiency or overpayment.

Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims, as reflected in the listing of claims, begin on page 2 of this paper; and

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.